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Amendments to the Abstract as follows:

A videoconference system and a management method thereof are provided. The videoconference system includes: terminals; multipoint control units (MCUs), as the superior level for the terminals, for controlling the corresponding terminals; conference management systems, as the superior level for the MCUs, for performing dispatching and control for the local conference site; and conference coordination systems, as the superior level for the conference management systems, for coordinating corresponding conference management systems and neighboring conference coordination systems to perform dispatching and control for the entire conference. The videoconference management method includes: a subscriber requesting for conference dispatching to the home conference management system; the home conference management system managing the corresponding local conference site directly at the dispatching request, and transferring the dispatching across conference management systems to the corresponding conference coordination system; and the conference coordination system dispatching the corresponding master and slave conference management systems at the dispatching request. ~~The present invention relates to a kind of video conference system and the administrating method thereof. The video~~

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~~conference system includes: terminals; MCUs, as the higher layer of the terminals, for controlling the terminals to hold video conferences; conference management systems, as the higher layer of the MCUs, for managing the resource allocation of the MCUs, and dispatching and controlling the local conference during the meeting; conference coordination systems, as the higher layer of the conference management systems, for coordinating the conference management systems and adjacent conference coordination systems based on the dispatching request in order to dispatch and control the conference system as a whole.~~

~~Accordingly, an administrating method of the video conference system includes the steps of: 1) user requests the subordinate conference management system to dispatch conference; 2) on the basis of the dispatching request, the subordinate conference management system directly processes the belonged local conference, and transfer the dispatching which is between conference management systems to the belonged conference coordination system; 3) the conference coordination system dispatches the corresponding principal and subordinate conference management system base on the dispatching request.~~